Comparison of Nebraska Medicaid and National Medicaid Totals

| | National | Nebraska |
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| Persons Covered: | 53,000,000* | 256,000 |
| Children: | 47% | 59% |
| Low income pregnant women and some children's caretakers: | 25% | 20% |
| Aged & disabled persons: | 28% | 21% |
| Of These Persons: | | |
| Medicaid / Medicare dual eligibles | 13% | 16% |
| Medicaid children and families on cash assistance (welfare) | 20% | 19% |
| Most expenditures are for the aged and disabled | | |
| % of Medicaid expenditures for the aged and disabled | 70% | 66% |
| % of Medicaid expenditures for persons on Medicare | 42% | 45% |

Sources: Nebraska numbers are state fiscal year 2005 actuals. National eligibility numbers are Congressional Budget Office projections for federal fiscal year 2005. National expenditure and dual eligible numbers based on MSIS data for federal fiscal year 2002. All eligibility numbers are unduplicated annual counts.

^{*}Does not include children covered under SCHIP/Title XXI for states with SCHIP programs separate from Medicaid.